

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Ludwig et al. Art Unit : 3651  
Serial No. : 10/551,020 Examiner : Dillon  
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Title : DEVICE FOR PRODUCING A PREDETERMINED ORIENTATION

Commissioner for Patents  
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PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated September 1, 2006, be extended for one month to and including January 2, 2007 (January 1, 2007 being a federal holiday).

Please apply the \$120 and any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050, referencing Attorney Docket No. 02894-723US1.

Respectfully submitted,

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